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Dear John,

My deep and sincere appreciation for your very thoughtful letter. It isn't often that a Holy Cross graduate will go out of his way to recognize an alumnus of Villanova, so it means more than perhaps you know!

I particularly appreciate your offer to call you when I have intelligence requirements or needs, and I think you know me well enough that I'll take you up on your offer when appropriate.

Meanwhile, it's of great comfort to know that I have a friend named John McMahon in such an important post.

With warmest best wishes, I am

Most respectfully,

[Handwritten signature: J. X.]

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